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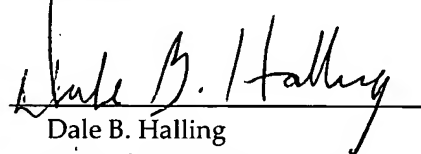
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All of the applicant's claims are believed to be allowable over the references discussed above.

Respectfully submitted,

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	5	USG Sheetrock Drywall Repair Kit	
	6	Drywall Repair by Michael Holigan, Segment 5104	
	7	EZ Patch the The drywall repair company Circut	
	8	Wall Repair Patch Kit Custom Building Products	
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